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PATENT APPLICATION

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In re the Application of

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For: DATA TRANSFER CONTROL DEVICE AND ELECTRONIC EQUIPMENT

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Director of the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office
Washington, D. C. 20231

Sir:

Prior to initial examination, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please replace claims 18-23 as follows:

18. (Amended) Electronic equipment comprising:

a data transfer control device as defined in claim 1;

a device which performs given processing on data that has been received from another node through the data transfer control device and a bus; and

a device which outputs or stores data that has been subjected to processing.

19. (Amended) Electronic equipment comprising:

a data transfer control device as defined in claim 4;

a device which performs given processing on data that has been received from another node through the data transfer control device and a bus; and

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